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Before the FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

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Amendment of Section 73.202 (b)	j	MB Docket No.
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FM Broadcast Stations)	RM
Hayden, Colorado))	

PETITION FOR RULEMAKING

To the Chief, Allocations Branch:

Dana J. Puopolo ("Petitioner") respectfully requests the Commission initiate a rulemaking proceeding for the purpose of considering amending Section 73.202(b) of the Commission's rules. In support whereof the following is stated:

Petitioner proposes the Commission allot FM channel 289C2 to Hayden, Colorado as its third commercial FM service. This would require amending Section 73.202(b) of the Commission's rules as follows:

<u>...овепт</u> 240С3, 297С2 Community Proposed Havden, Colorado 240C3, 289C2, 297C2

- Hayden is an incorporated town located in NW Colorado. It is located in Routt County. In 2000, the U.S. Census Bureau estimated that Hayden had a population of 1634 persons.
- FM channel 289C2 can be assigned to Hayden in full compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements. This is shown by the attached spacing study. Coordinates used are: N 40° 35' 24", W 107° 08' 06" and are located approximately 16 Km NE of Hayden. This site restriction is necessary to prevent short spacing with stations KWGL, Ouray, CO, and KALC, Denver, CO.
- Petitioner, or an entity with which he is affiliated, intends to apply for a construction permit 4. to activate FM channel 289C2 if it is allotted to Hayden as proposed. If his application is granted. he shall promptly construct and operate the proposed station.
- Petitioner hereby verifies and affirms that the statements given in this petition for rulemaking are his, and are accurate to the best of his knowledge.

Respectfully submitted.

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FM spacing study channel 289C2, Hayden, CO at coordinates N 40:35:24, W 107:08:06

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				CO US	142	55	87
292C3 10)6.3 KR	RKM	KREMMLING	CO US	87	56	31

Notes:

All distances are in kilometers. Only stations clearing by less than 110 Km are shown.

